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### **CENTRAL PHOENIX REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL**

#### **INJURY PREVENTION**

#### **REQUEST FOR GRANT APPLICATION**

**FTF-RC013-10-0006-00**

#### **FACT SHEET**

### **WHAT IS INJURY PREVENTION?**

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First Things First Central Phoenix Regional Partnership Council is releasing a Request for Grant Application for the strategy of Injury Prevention. The intent is to expand or enhance injury prevention efforts aimed at parents and providers caring for children birth through age five.

Childhood injuries are the leading cause of death for Arizona's children. Sixty-six percent of preventable child deaths in Arizona in 2003 were due to unintentional injury (accidents), according to the Child Fatality Review Board. Between 2004 and 2007, there were about 184,000 nonfatal, unintentional injuries resulting in visits to emergency departments or inpatient hospitalizations among children birth to age five year olds.

Injury prevention programs to be implemented under this funding opportunity may include motor vehicle crash, drowning, suffocation or choking, fire or burn injury, firearm injury, poisoning, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) or home accident prevention. Preference will be given to approaches that are research-based and to applicants who demonstrate positive outcomes for the target population. Safety equipment that is provided to parents must be accompanied by concrete instructions for parents and is to promote active parent involvement that improves effectiveness of such distribution efforts.

### **WHAT IS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE?**

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Approximately \$500,000.00 is available in this Request for Grant Application. Contract renewal will be contingent upon satisfactory contract performance, evaluation and availability of funds.

The anticipated contract period for any resultant grant will be July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010.

## **PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE GRANT MAKING PROCESS**

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| March 5, 2009  | Notice of Intent/Fact Sheet available to the public  |
| March 5, 2009  | RFGA available online  |
| March 13, 2009 | Pre-application Conference<br>First Things First, 8 <sup>th</sup> Floor Board Room, 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. at<br>4000 N. Central Avenue, Suite. 800, Phoenix, Arizona 85012 |
| April 17, 2009 | Applications due to the location listed in the RFGA by 10:00 a.m.  |
| July 1, 2009   | Anticipated grant awards made  |

## **HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE RFGA**

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Please visit the First Things First website on or after March 5, 2009: <http://www.azftf.gov/>

## **QUESTIONS?**

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All questions must be submitted in writing and include FTF-RC013-10-0006-00 in the subject line of the email or on the cover sheet of the fax.

Questions should be submitted to the Grants and Contracts Procurement Specialist via email at [grants@azftf.gov](mailto:grants@azftf.gov) or via fax at (602) 265-0009.